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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

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Re: Application of Yusuke ISHIHARA, Daisuke TAKAHASHI, Hideaki SHIGA,
Seiji TSUYUKI
MAGNETIC TAPE CARTRIDGE
Assignee: FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.
Our Ref: Q79189

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Continuation Application of pending prior Application No. 10/058,034 (Confirmation No. 2681) filed January 29, 2002 of Yusuke ISHIHARA, Daisuke TAKAHASHI, Hideaki SHIGA, Seiji TSUYUKI entitled MAGNETIC TAPE CARTRIDGE.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, 8 sheets of drawings, and a copy of the Declaration and Assignment as filed in the prior application. Also enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment, an Information Disclosure Statement, and a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing references cited by applicant and/or the examiner during prosecution of the prior application.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 3654.

This is a continuation of Application No. 10/058,034 filed January 29, 2002; the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	020939/2001	January 30, 2001

The priority document was filed in parent Application No. 10/058,034.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>6</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>2</u> - 3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$770.00

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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Continuation of U.S. Appln. No. 10/058,034 (*Q79189*)

A check for the statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

A Petition and payment for an extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith in Application No. 10/058,034. The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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